

APPENDIX A.

SENATE BILLS—HISTORY OF IN THE SENATE.

BY SENATOR DAVIDSON OF DE WITT AND TWENTY-FOUR OTHERS:

Senate bill No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a State Text Book Board, and to procure for use in the public schools of the State of Texas a series of uniform text books; defining the duties of certain officers therein named; making an appropriation therefor; defining certain misdemeanors, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs... 22-23

Favorable substitute reported in lieu of bill..... 29

Read second time, substitute adopted, amended and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed 38, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45

Reported engrossed 54

Received from House, with amendments 61-64

Senate refuses to concur, Free Conference Committee requested.... 74

Free Conference Committee appointed 83

Report of Free Conference Committee adopted 96

Signed 113

BY SENATOR DECKER:

Senate bill No. 4, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Governor of the State of Texas, in conjunction with the President of the United States, to run and mark the boundary lines between the Territories of Oklahoma and New Mexico and the State of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations..... 5

Reported favorably and not to be printed 5

Senate rule suspended, constitutional rule suspended, read second time and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed..... 5-6

Reported engrossed 13

Received from the House, with amendments 151

Amendments concurred in..... 151

Signed 154

BY SENATOR DOUGLASS:

Senate bill No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the retirement of certain bonds of the State of Texas, maturing the first day of January, 1904; by issuing other bonds at a lower rate of interest in lieu thereof; providing for the execution of such other bonds; the manner of sale or exchange of the new bonds, and making an appropriation for the expenses incurred under the provisions of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance..... 4

Reported favorably, with amendments 13

Senate rule suspended, committee report adopted, bill postponed subject to call..... 16

BY SENATOR FAULK:

Senate bill No. 7, A bill to be entitled "An Act to appropriate forty-seven hundred and fifty dollars to repair the school building belonging to the State Orphan Asylum at Corsicana, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance..... 19

Reported favorably and not to be printed 19-20

Senate rule suspended, constitutional rule suspended, read second time and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed..... 20

Reported engrossed 22

Received from the House..... 56

Signed 59

Senate bill No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 877, Chapter 2, Title XXV, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, authorizing the commissioners courts to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing public roads."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 22

Reported favorably and not to be printed 32

(Died on calendar.)

BY SENATOR HENDERSON:

Senate bill No. 6, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide a system of electric

power, electric lights and waterworks for the purpose of supplying electric power, electric lights and water to the State Capitol, the General Land Office, Governor's Mansion and the various public institutions of the State of Texas, in the city of Austin and adjacent thereto; to create a board with authority to purchase and put in operation the necessary property, machinery and plant for such purpose, and with authority to lay mains and pipes and to erect poles and place wires across and along the streets and alleys and public highways in the city of Austin, and public roads adjacent thereto, and to secure from private owners, by purchase, or condemnation proceedings, if necessary, the right to lay such mains and pipes and erect such poles and to place such wires across private lands; to provide for the operation of such plant; to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance..... 14

Reported favorably 16

Made special order 22

Read second time, and made special order 45

Taken up, amended and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed 79-80

Reported engrossed 107

Received from the House..... 158

Signed 160

BY SENATOR HILL:

Senate bill No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the sale and lease of all the public free school and asylum lands and the timber thereon, and to protect said land from free use and unlawful enclosure, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 22

Favorable majority report, minority report substituted for bill..... 37

Read second time, majority report adopted, amended and pending.. 56-58

Taken up, vote reconsidered, minority report substituted..... 64-65

Amended 67-69-71-72

Ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed 72-73

Reported engrossed 88

(Died in House.)

BY SENATOR PERKINS:

Senate bill No. 11, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Governor to purchase land when needed for public

use, and cause to be instituted condemnation proceedings therefor when necessary, in the name of the State, and to provide the procedure of such condemnation proceedings."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 59

Reported favorably and not to be printed 60

Read second time and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed 78

Reported engrossed 88

Received from the House..... 101

Signed 113

BY SENATOR SEBASTIAN:

Senate bill No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4494, of Title XCIV, Chapter 10, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, relating to duties and liabilities of railroad corporations."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 111

Reported favorably, with amendments 114

Read second time, committee amendments adopted and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed 118

Reported engrossed 128

Received from the House..... 158

Signed 160

Senate bill No. 14, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for penalties for failure in the performance of certain duties required of train dispatchers by Article 4494, Title XCIV, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, and providing penalties for neglect or failure to perform certain duties required of depot agents by Article 4560, Title XCIV, Chapter 12a, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, relating to the duties and liabilities of railroad corporations."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 111

Reported favorably, with amendments 114

Read second time, committee amendments adopted and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, amended, and passed 118-119

Reported engrossed 128

BY SENATOR WILSON:

Senate bill No. 1, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to pay per diem pay of members and per diem pay of officers and employes of the First Called Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas,

convened April 2, 1903, by proclamation of the Governor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance.....	4
Reported favorably and not to be printed	6
Senate rule suspended, committee report adopted, constitutional rule suspended, read second time and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed.....	6-7
Reported engrossed	11
Received from the House.....	13
Signed	15

Senate bill No. 3, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to defray the contingent expenses of the First Called Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas, convened April 2, 1903, by proclamation of the Governor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance.....	5
Reported favorably and not to be printed	6
Senate rule suspended, constitutional rule suspended, read second time and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed.....	7
Received from the House.....	13
Signed	15

Senate bill No. 5, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support of the State government for two years, beginning September 1, 1903, and

ending August 31, 1905, and for other purposes."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance.....	5
Reported favorably	16
Read second time, printed bill substituted, amended and pending..	24-29
Taken up, amended and pending...	36
Taken up, further amended, and ordered engrossed	49-50
Taken up, amended, pending.....	80-87
Taken up, amended.....	93
Read third time, and passed.....	106
Reported engrossed	112
(Superceded by Substitute House bill No. 1.)	

Senate bill No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation for the sum of sixteen thousand two hundred and twenty-eight dollars and sixty cents (\$16,228.60), or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the support and maintenance of the Confederate Home at Austin, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance.....	69
Reported favorably and not to be printed	73
Senate rule suspended, constitutional rule suspended, read second time and ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended, read third time, and passed.....	70
Reported engrossed	73
Received from the House.....	151
Signed	152